

ANNUAL REPORT BY THE MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH  
RELATING TO PORT HEALTH AUTHORITY DUTIES  
FOR YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER, 1959.



Section I-Staff.

TABLE A.

Name of Officer	Nature of Appointment	Date of Appointment	Qualifications.	Any other Appointments held.
Richard Short.	M.O.H.	1-4-1959.	L.R.C.P., L.R.C.S. (Ed) L.R.F.P.S. (G) D.P.H.	Area Executive Medical Officer.
D.S. Halley.	Public Health Inspector.	16-5-1947.	Public Health Insp. Meat Insp. Cert.	Shops Insp. Petroleum Inspector.
John Johnson.	Clerk.	25-5-1937.	General Clerk.	-
George K. Hope.	Pupil Public Health Insp.	1-10-1956.	-	-

Address & Telephone Nos. of M.O.H.:— 26, Sea View, Lesbury, Alnwick (323) Alnwick. 2263; Berwick. 6406.

Section -II. Amount of shipping entering district during the year.

TABLE B.

Ships from.	No.	Tonnage.	No. of Inspections by M.O.H. by P.H.I.	Number of ships reported as having had during the voyage infectious disease on board.
Foreign Ports.	18	4,337	Nil	seven Nil
Coastwise.	24	5,125	Nil	Nil Nil
Total.	42	9,462	Nil	seven Nil

Section III. Character of shipping and trade during the year.

TABLE C

Passenger Traffic. No. of passengers inwards-& outwards. Nil.  
Cargo Traffic. Principal Imports:— Basic Slag, Timber, Nitro-shell, Esparto-Grass, Wood Pulp, Cement, Fertilizer, Petroleum, Hardboard, Potash.

Principal Exports: Barley.

Principal Ports from which ships arrive:— Rotterdam, Antwerp, Halmstad, Kotka, Sousse, Saltend. London.

Section IV. Inland barge traffic. Nil.

Section V. Walkergate Infectious Diseases Hospital, Newcastle-on-Tyne.

Section VI. (i, ii, iii, iv, v) No Change.

Section VII. SMALLPOX. 1, 2, 3 & 4. No Change.

Section VIII. No Change.

Section IX. } TABLE D.

Section X. } No Change.

Section XI. }

Section XII. }

TABLE E. }

TABLE F. }

TABLE G. }

Section XIII. } No Change.

Section XIV. } No Change.

Section XV. }

Section XVI. }

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Wallace Green,  
Berwick upon Tweed.

27th January, 1960.

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Berwick upon Tweed.

